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NOTIFICATION

In pursuance to letter No. 6/GTK-NGO/2019(3)-850 dated 20th November, 2020 of the Intelligence Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, the State Government hereby constitutes the State Level Co-ordination Committee comprising representatives of various Central and State Government Agencies for evolving co-ordination mechanism in the States sharing international borders with focus on Indo-China border as under:-

(1) STATE LEVEL CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE (SLCC)

1.	Chief Secretary	Chairperson
2.	Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department	Member
3.	Additional Chief Secretary, Tourism and Civil Aviation Department	Member
4.	Director General of Police	Member
5.	Principal Secretary, Home Department	Member Secretary
6.	PCCF-cum-Principal Secretary, Forest and Environment Department	Member
7.	Secretary, Land Revenue and Disaster Management Department	Member
8.	Secretary, Roads and Bridges Department	Member
9.	Representative from Indian Army (27 Mountain Division)	Member
10.	Representative from Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB)	Member
11.	Representative from National Cadet Corps (NCC)	Member
12.	Representative from Border Roads Organisation (BRO)	Member
13.	Representative from Special Investigation Branch (SIB)	Member

TERMS OF REFERENCE:-

The following shall be the terms of reference of the State Level Committee :-

Development Aspects :-

- i. Infrastructure development
 - Identification/prioritization of strategic and dual use (for both civilian and defence propose) infrastructure such as usage of border roads by IAF for landing purpose.
 - Identification of incomplete development projects and reasons for delay; suggestions for removing bottlenecks and remedial steps to expedite these projects.
- ii. Expediting land acquisition matters for border infrastructure work.
- iii. Development of educational/vocational/professional/skill-centres in bordering areas.
- iv. Creation of economic opportunities.
- v. Ways to tap tourism potential of bordering areas.
- vi. Identification of major causes of resentment amongst the bordering population, remedial measures for redressal of their grievances, steps to win-over hearts and minds of border population and inculcating a sense of belongingness amongst them.

Security Aspects :-

- i. Review of border security and developing proper response mechanism.
- ii. Identification of sensitive areas requiring attention.
- iii. Review of situation on LAC/IB in State.
- iv. Review of existing threats.
- v. Formulation of counter measures in case of any specific threat.
- vi. Monitoring of social media platforms indulging in anti-Indian activities and devising counter measures.
- vii. Any other item relating to security of Indo-China Border in the State.
- viii. Creation of NCC units in educational institutions in border areas.

By order and in the name of the Governor.

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Chief Secretary
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